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IN THE CLAIMS:

The claims are as follows:

1. (Original) A method for inserting breakpoints in a program being debugged, comprising:

identifying a statement for the program being debugged;
determining which basic block contains the statement;
determining which blocks control execution of the basic block; and
inserting a breakpoint at each branch contained in the blocks controlling
execution of the basic block.

- (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the statement is the location where the program being debugged halted execution.
- 3. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the blocks controlling execution of the basic block are blocks on which the basic block is control dependent.
- 4. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein identifying the statement comprises identifying a statement that may modify a program variable.
- 5. (Original) The method of claim 4, wherein identifying the statement that may modify a program variable comprises accessing a table comprising the variable mapped to statements that may modify the variable.
- 6. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein identifying the statement comprises identifying statements associated with loop latches.
- 7. (Original) The method of claim 6, wherein identifying statements associated with loop latches comprises accessing tables comprising the basic block mapped to the loop latches.
- 8. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein identifying the statement comprises identifying a currently executing statement of each of a plurality of subprograms.

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- 9. (Original) The method of claim 8, wherein each of the plurality of subprograms is a portion of the program being debugged and performs a specific task.
- 10. (Original) The method of claim 8, wherein identifying the currently executing statement comprises accessing a table comprising the plurality of subprograms mapped to its respective currently executing statement.
- 11. (Original) The method of claim 8, wherein the blocks controlling execution of the basic block are blocks on which the basic block is control dependent.
- 12. (Original) A computer system comprising at least one processor configured to execute a debugging program, wherein the processor, when executing the debugging program, is configured to perform an operation comprising:

identifying a statement for the program being debugged;
determining which basic block contains the statement;
determining which blocks control execution of the basic block; and
Inserting a breakpoint at each branch contained in the blocks controlling
execution of the basic block.

13. (Original) The computer system of claim 12, wherein identifying the statement comprises:

identifying a program variable; and determining which statements may modify the variable.

14. (Original) The computer system of claim 12, wherein identifying the statement comprises:

determining a plurality of sets of loop latches for the basic block; and identifying the statements associated with loop latches.

15. (Original) The computer system of claim 12, wherein identifying the statement comprises:

identifying a currently executing statement of a plurality of subprograms.

16. (Original) A signal bearing medium, comprising a program which, when executed by a processor, performs an operation, comprising:

identifying a statement for the program being debugged;
determining which basic block contains the statement;
determining which blocks control execution of the basic block; and
inserting a breakpoint at each branch contained in the blocks controlling
execution of the basic block.

- 17. (Original) The signal bearing medium of claim 16, wherein the statement is the location where the program being debugged halted execution.
- 18. (Original) The signal bearing medium of claim 16, wherein the blocks controlling execution of the basic block are blocks on which the basic block is control dependent.
- 19. (Original) The signal bearing medium of claim 16, wherein identifying the statement comprises identifying a statement that may modify a program variable.
- 20. (Original) The signal bearing medium of claim 19, wherein identifying the statement that may modify a program variable comprises accessing a table comprising the variable mapped to statements that may modify the variable.
- 21. (Original) The signal bearing medium of claim 16, wherein identifying the statement comprises identifying statements associated with loop latches.
- 22. (Original) The signal bearing medium of claim 21, wherein identifying statements associated with loop latches comprises accessing tables comprising the basic block mapped to the loop latches.
- 23. (Original) The signal bearing medium of claim 16, wherein identifying the statement comprises identifying a currently executing statement of each of a plurality of subprograms.

- 24. (Original) The signal bearing medium of claim 23, wherein each of the plurality of subprograms is a portion of the program being debugged and performs a specific task.
- 25. (Original) The signal bearing medium of claim 23, wherein identifying the currently executing statement comprises accessing a table comprising the plurality of subprograms mapped to its respective currently executing statement.
- 26. (Original) The signal bearing medium of claim 23, wherein the blocks controlling execution of the basic block are blocks on which the basic block is control dependent.